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BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI, THURSDAY, APRIL 30, 1953

SUBSCRIPTION

Library Building Fund Drive Gets Under Way Tomorrow

To mark the opening of the new drive of the Library Board, the necessary \$10,000 for the new building which will be the Hancock Memorial Library, will be collected in the county by the individual in the county will be a subscriber. Any amount from \$1,000 will help it was said.

Mrs. Nina Stillwell is offering to be the first water color for sale, proceeds to go toward the library building.

Paintings, which are quite large, will be on exhibit at Mauffrey's Dry Goods Store, beginning May 11. The sale will range from \$12 to \$18.

FIRST NOMINEE IS SELECTED FOR CITIZEN OF YEAR



The Bay St. Louis Lions Club, in their search for a "Citizen of the Year" for 1953 have selected their first nominee. Presented to the membership was Mrs. Marie Heitzmann of 414 Main Street, Bay St. Louis.

Mrs. Heitzmann, a 30-year-old housewife, is a very busy lady. Together with her polo-stricken husband, Toddy Heitzmann, she delivers the Times-Picayune and the New Orleans States to over 1,000 Hancock County readers, with Mrs. Heitzmann doing all of the walking that is necessary in the huge operation.

POINTS OF BLOOD COLLECTED HERE BY MOBILE TUESDAY

Twenty-five pints of blood from two donors comprised Hancock County's contribution to the Blood Bank when the mobile unit from New Orleans came to Bay St. Louis Tuesday afternoon.

Lt. Gen. General Chairman of the blood program for the county, expressed appreciation for the excellent service of those who gave blood, and those who worked during the hours of the service.

Entertain at Coffee Party

Mrs. W. W. Baltar and Mrs. Bernard Baltar were joint hostesses at a very lovely coffee party Friday morning, May 24, at the home of Mrs. Baltar in North Beach.

The reception rooms of the house were lovely with spring flowers and Mrs. Baltar and Mrs. Bernard greeted their fifty guests during the hours of the party.

Entertain at Chicken Supper

Mrs. and Mrs. Nellus Rhodes entertained with a chicken supper at their home on Main St. honoring their daughter, Gay Marshall, on the occasion of her 13th birthday.

A lovely centerpiece of pink and white flowers was used on the dining table, and a birthday cake in blue and white was the piece de resistance at the dinner.

Guests were classmates of the birthday girl.

Birth Announced

Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Gottschalk of 221 Street Bay St. Louis, have announced the birth of a baby daughter, May 22, at Tours Infirmary in New Orleans.

Warren Turner is still confined with attack of virus infection

C. M. Shipp has returned from Valley, Miss., where he attended funeral of his brother Mr. A. B. Shipp.

Regatta at Pensacola this week will attract many Bay St. Louis visitors

Among those who will be Saturday morning for Florida Regatta and Mrs. E. M. Heath, Jr., and Mrs. Robert Whitman, Jr., of Ocean Springs, Miss., and Mrs. Jack Gordon.

LIONS ENTERTAIN SEVERAL GUESTS AT REGULAR MEETING MON.

The Bay St. Louis Lions Club, at their last meeting for April at the Hotel Reed, entertained several candidates for various activities. Special guests were Miss Irma Joan Lee, the Lions candidate for the Hancock County "Miss Hospitality" contest set for June 13, and Mrs. Marie Heitzmann, first nominee for the 1953 Lions Club award "Citizen of the Year."

Program guests were Joseph Benvenuti, Horace Kergosien and John Scaffidi, the three candidates for Mayor of Bay St. Louis at the May 12 primary.

Benvenuti praised the Lions Club for their civic accomplishments during their short period of existence. He referred to his original published statements on his personal view on his candidacy and stated that he still held to everything he had said at that time. Mr. Benvenuti praised the campaign and spoke high words of praise for the other two candidates.

Mr. Kergosien spoke along the same lines, and also referred back to his record, willing to stand on it 100 per cent. Kergosien also stated that he was absolutely independent, and deplored any political organization, whether it was in or out of office.

John Scaffidi reminded his listeners that the other two candidates were his friends before their announcement, and that he expected to be their friend, regardless of the outcome of the mayor's race. He praised the cleanliness of the campaign and said that he has not heard any detrimental remarks about any of the three candidates.

The Lions Club heard a report that four high school students from Hancock County would go to Laurel on May 2 for the Lions All-State Band. The students to make the trip are Jerry Blenvenut, clarinet; Wheeler Hartfield, trombone; Cleita Kay Miller, bassoon; and Jimmy Kramer, trumpet. Robert E. Brown, Bay Hi band director, also expects to make the trip.

HOSPITAL BENEFIT DANCE SCHEDULED FOR SATURDAY, MAY 9

A dance to raise funds for the Kings Daughter's Hospital will be given at the Top Hat in Waveland on Saturday May 9.

Mrs. Nellus Rhodes, chairman of the event, said that a large crowd was expected. Tickets may be secured from Mrs. Rhodes. Admission will be a \$1.00 donation per person.

St. Stanislaus Dance Orchestra will provide the music.

A parade will be staged Saturday afternoon advertising the dance.

Orders for cakes for Mother's Day will be sold for the benefit of the hospital also. Cakes may be ordered from Mrs. Rhodes.

SJA Seniors Honored At Buffet Dinner Tues

Misses Brenda Assenheimer, Patsy Chapman, Karen Kergosien and Carol Turner entertained the Senior Class of St. Joseph Academy at a buffet dinner Tuesday night in the home of Miss Clara Kergosien on Carroll Avenue.

The buffet table was lovely with white cutwork cloth and a flower arrangement, by Miss Clara Kergosien, white Calla lilies, white stock and white gladioli. The candles were blue and white. Place cards were in the form of pennants bearing the name and attached to a toy plastic, blue and white speedboat.

At each place was a little gift wrapped box in white paper and blue ribbon containing costume jewelry plus blue and white stones.

Seniors attending were Misses Pat Bailey, Catherine Benigno, Margaret Bayer, Audrey Carver, Carol Cepedon Honorine Damborino, Marie Elena Duena, Marlene Egloff, Joyce Lee Lang Shirley Noto, Ina Piazza, Anna Marie Piazza, Ethel Ann Raymond, Jeanie Seussner, Kitty Schick, Ann Schmidt, Mary Stasile and Flora Tackell.

Two were absent, Miss Marie Argue because of the death in her family and Miss Gene Ains who was ill. Two teachers, Miss Julia LaBourque and Mrs. Nellus Rhodes were also present.

The young hostesses were assisted by their respective mothers, Mrs. Scott Assenheimer, Mrs. Arthur Chapman and Mrs. Horace Kergosien. Mrs. Warren Turner was ill and could not be present.

After dinner the girls were entertained at a movie.

SJA MAY BALL TO BE SATURDAY, MAY 2ND

Miss Carol Turner will reign as Queen of the May Saturday night, May 2, when St. Joseph Academy will present their annual May Ball. Miss Turner has chosen as King David Trout, a senior student at St. Stanislaus.

Maid of Honor to her Majesty will be Miss Honorine Damborino. Duke of Honor is Robert Falgout, a boarding student at Stanislaus.

Other members of the court have not yet been announced.

Birthday Party

Miss Ann Hubbard celebrated her 17th birthday on Wednesday, May 17, the guest at a dance given by her parents Mr. and Mrs. Mary Hubbard at the home of her uncle, Horace Thompson in Waveland.

About fifty young people attended the party. There were all students at the St. Stanislaus and Junior classes.

A large birthday cake with thirteen candles and punch were served the young people.

CHURCH FAIR

St. Charles Church Fair will be held Saturday and Sunday, July 4 and 5.

PARISH SCHOOL SPRING FESTIVAL HELD SATURDAY

The annual Spring Festival for Christ Church Parish School was held Sunday evening on the grounds of the School on South Beach.

The festival formally was opened at 5 p. m. with a program in which students of the school participated.

Following the program the many booths displayed their wares in a most attractive fashion.

A plate supper of fried chicken, salad and side dishes was served.

About two hundred people attended. It was reported that the financial returns were substantial.

METHODIST REVIVAL TO OPEN HERE MAY 3

Main Street Methodist Church opens its All-South revival on Sunday, May 3. Occupying the pulpit will be a guest evangelist, the Rev. Kelly Scott of Mobile, Alabama.

The local pastor, the Rev. Charles Schultz, will carry out daily visitations.

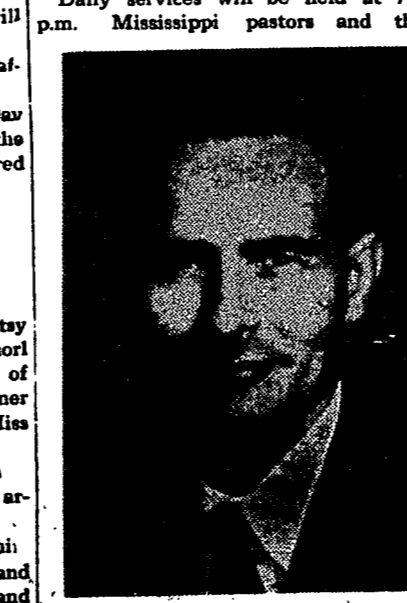


THE REV. KELLY SCOTT

together with lay members, this next week, prior to the opening of the revival. These great All South meetings have been underway for a week, with the different states exchanging their preachers.

Rev. Schultz has just returned from a week of evangelism at a rural Mobile church.

Daily services will be held at 7:30 p. m. Mississippi pastors and their



THE REV. CHARLES S. SCHULTZ

visitors will attend morning "Periods of Power" at Wiggins every weekday morning.

The 1953 Methodist mission is being carried on in North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia, Tennessee, Florida, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Arkansas.

Special one-minute periods of prayer every evening at 6 p. m. are being asked of Christians of all faiths, for world peace and the success of the wide-spread revivals.

Fellowship Day At First Baptist Church To Be Friday, May 1

"Citizenship—Our Christian Concern" is the theme of the program for May Fellowship Day to be observed this year at the First Baptist Church on Friday, May 1, at 3 p. m.

Mrs. R. E. Priddy of Jackson will be the guest speaker and the worship service will be led by Mrs. C. C. McDonald.

May Fellowship Day, sponsored by the United Council of Church Women, will be observed on this day throughout the nation when Church Women of all communities will focus their attention on their communities.

Mrs. Robert Burns, Jr., president of the local council, the ladies of the Baptist Church will be hostesses at a social hour immediately following the program and everyone is invited to join in the hour of Christian Fellowship.

SJA Mothers To Meet

The Mother's Club of St. Joseph Academy will hold their monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon at 3 p. m. in the Convect hall.

The theme will not be discussed for the meeting.

County Cotton Style Show Set For Thurs, May 7

The Hancock County Home Demonstration Cotton Style Show will be held May 7, 1953, at 2 p. m. in the auditorium of the Clermont Harbor School.

There will be four classes in the contest, including:

- a. Street dress—may be one or two piece
- b. Afternoon Dress—one or two piece
- c. Play Dress—one or two piece (no shorts)
- d. Family Group

The 4-H Club girls will enter their dresses as one class, but will be graded into Blue, Red, and White ribbon groups.

Any 4-H Club girl or Home Demonstration Club member who enters a dress must have the dress at the Clermont Harbor school by 1:00 p. m. to be judged.

Mrs. J. P. Rousseau, president of the Hancock County Home Demonstration Council, announces the following committee chairmen for the Style Show:

Overall Chairman, Mrs. Agnes Chev-is; Program, Mrs. J. L. Saleeby; Decorations, Mrs. Harvord Burleigh; Refreshments, Mrs. Ben Peterson; Registration, Mrs. Grady Huckabee; Publicity, Mrs. J. P. Rousseau; Music, Mrs. Esther Crouch; Ushers, Clermont Harbor 4-H Club Members.

Bay Juniors To Meet Gold Seal Creamery Here Sunday, May 3

The Bay Juniors will meet Gold Seal Creamery, a team in the NORD program, at 2:30 p. m. Sunday on the local diamond.

Entire proceeds of the game will go for the benefit of the Church Fair Program of Our Lady of the Gulf Church.

MSGR. H. J. JACOBI IS CRITICALLY ILL AFTER HEART ATTACK

The Right Reverend Monsignor H. Joseph Jacobi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jacobi of Bay St. Louis, was stricken with a heart attack around noon Tuesday in New Orleans.

His parents are at his bedside at Hotel Dieu in New Orleans. His condition at noon today was reported critical.

Mr. and Mrs. John Porgozelski had as their house guests for several days Mr. and Mrs. J. Cypher and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. Newton, and their mother, Mrs. Newton R. While they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Norton Willis of Waveland, aboard their yacht The Prowler.

Mrs. E. W. Santa Cruz and son, Woodie with Mr. and Mrs. Nellus Rhodes, motored to Mobile Sunday, where they visited their sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Alley.

Mrs. Dorothy Robinson of Birmingham, Ala., and her daughter, Noel, are the guests of Mrs. Robinson's mother, Mrs. John Weston, at her home on Carroll Ave.

Off to Churchill Downs to view the over thrilling running of the classic Kentucky Derby this Saturday are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cox, M. and Mrs. Lucien Cox, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Brignac and Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Hand.

William C. and A. J. Thomas, sons of Mrs. Katherine Wilson, who make their home in New Orleans, spent last week-end visiting with their mother in Bay St. Louis.

Mrs. C. E. Chadwick left last Friday for a visit in Chicago, Ill.

Week-end guests of Mrs. Lester Smith were her sister-in-law, Mrs. Oscar Thibodaux and Fred Fenne of New Orleans, her cousins Emma and Zula Frudonke, and her nephew Peter Labouisse and Sonny Flejterich. A family get-together was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Lucien Raymond and her two children, Denise and Judy, were recent visitors to New Orleans.

Miss Marlene Holt was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Phillips at their beach home in Waveland.

Roger Holt, Waveland, who has been visiting in Hollywood, Calif., is expected home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Turner, Indianapolis, Ind., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence at their home in Bay St. Louis. Mrs. Lawrence and Mrs. Turner are sisters.

Miss Geri Martin Is Legionary Captain In Local "Miss Hospitality" Contest



Photo by Jim Phillips

The Bay St. Louis American Legion, Clement R. Bontemps Post No. 139, has announced its candidate for "Miss Hospitality" for the Hancock County contest set for June 13. The Legion committee picked Miss Geraldine Anne Martin of 342 St. John Street, Bay St. Louis.

Miss Martin, 19-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donas Martin, is a brown-eyed, reddish-brown haired beauty, 5 feet, 5 inches tall and weighing 125 pounds.

A native-born girl, Geraldine Anne was graduated from St. Joseph's Academy in the class of 1951. She was chosen S.S.C. Homecoming Queen in 1951, after having served as Maid in 1950 and 1951. Miss Martin also was voted "Prettiest Girl in School" her last two years at St. Joseph's.

Bay High Prom Held Fri, Apr. 24

On Friday evening, April 24, the Bay High Juniors sponsored by Miss Julia Elaise, entertained the Seniors and Faculty at a very lovely Prom given at the Bay Waveland Yacht Club.

The theme "Moonlight and Roses" was very beautifully carried out in the Senior colors of red and white. The Club was decorated to represent a rose garden with a moon shining through an arbor of red and white roses.

Miss Lisa Price formally opened the Prom by singing "Moonlight and Roses." The guests were welcomed by Keith Tonkel, Junior Class President, and the Senior response was given by Donald Peterson, president of the Senior Class.

The Class Will was very humorously read by Grannison Sellier.

Highlight of the evening was the crowning of the Prom King, Joe Bourgeois, and the Prom Queen, Antoinette Serie, who were selected by secret ballot of the Junior Class.

During intermission delicious refreshments were served, followed by a floor show conducted by Billy James. The program was as follows: 1. Informal Trio—Temple Perkins, Penny Cole and Mike Murphy. 2. Jolly Junior Quartette, Billy Burrow, Billy James, Jimmy Kramer and Keith Tonkel. 3. Hilarious vaudeville act, Allen Wilkinson, Larry Smith and Norvin Ross. A banjo number by popular request: Penny Cole, Jimmy Kramer and Keith Tonkel.

SPAGHETTI SUPPER FOR FOOTBALL FIELD AID TO BE SERVED MAY 6

Leo E. Kenney, president of the St. Stanislaus Sidelines Club, has announced a benefit spaghetti supper for renovations at the football field.

Supper will be served from 5:30 to 9 p. m. Wednesday, May 6 at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hills are in charge of arrangements for the supper. Leo E. Kenney is handling ticket sales.

Red Cross Board To Meet

The Board of the local American Red Cross Chapter will meet at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday in the courtroom of the Courthouse.

Mrs. Weston Executive Secretary, urges all board members to be present as this is a very important meeting.

COMMITTEES NAMED FOR JULY 4TH CELEBRATION

The Hancock County Chamber of Commerce announced today that Chairman had been named to head the various committees to handle the county-wide 4th of July celebration to be held on the sand beach between Carroll Avenue and the foot of the Bay Bridge.

Chairmen selected were as follows:

Mrs. George Horton, Refreshments; Mrs. Mabel Green, Publicity; Mrs. L. S. Pahlman, Boy Scouts; John Scaffidi, Games; Lucien Kidd, Fireworks; Mayor Warren Carver, Grounds.

The program will be a carnival-like affair with booths for hot dogs, hamburgers, soft drinks, and sandwiches. A hill-billy band will furnish music throughout the afternoon and evening. Arrangements have been made to have an excellent speaker for the occasion. A bathing beauty review is being planned. A fireworks display will climax the program.

Among organizations planning to participate are The American Legion, Auxiliary, Bay High PTA, Christ Church Parish School PTA, St. Joseph Academy Mother's Club and the Lions Club.

Regular Saturday Nite Supper Scheduled At Bay-Waveland Yacht Club

The Bay-Waveland Yacht Club will have its regular supper Saturday night, May 2.

Hostesses will be Misses Leo Saul, A. P. Smith and T. T. Robin.

The Ladies Auxiliary will have a business meeting May 6 at the club at 11 a. m.

KING'S DAUGHTERS HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Levinge, Bay St. Louis, are parents of a daughter, born April 27.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Fayre, Rome, are parents of a daughter, born April 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller of Pascagoula are parents of a son, born April 29.

Medical patients at the hospital include: Lucien Fayre, Bay St. Louis; and Willie Jackson, Edo.

They are Roy Pitts of Waynesboro, president of the student body; Roy Brown of Lexington, Vice-President; John French of Vicksburg, Editor of the Mississippi Farmer; Williams, President of the YMCA; and Earl of Memphis, Tenn., Editor of the Sun and George Howell of Memphis, President of Omicron Delta Kappa.

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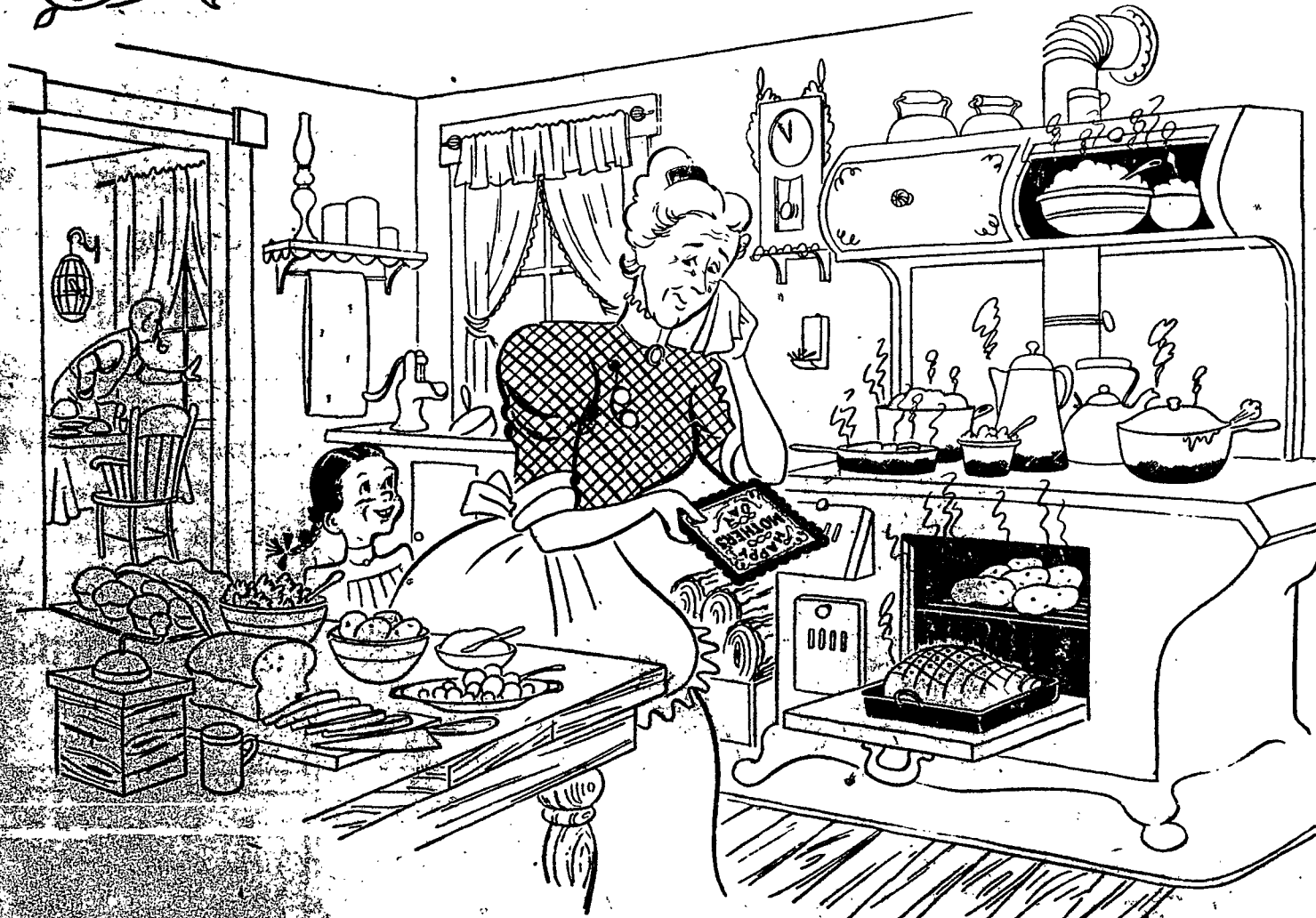
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Natural gas service is worth every cent you pay for it . . . and then some!
Consider, for example, the pleasure it brings Mother — not only on "her day," but all through the year.
Natural gas eliminated many hours of drudgery in the kitchen, and gave Mother
a cooler, cleaner room to prepare the meals. Natural gas made it possible to have plenty of hot
water on tap, without using the old feeble method. Natural gas does many of the big
jobs in the home — quickly, conveniently, economically. It's the biggest bargain in your home today.

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I WAS just wondering the other day what had become of Theda Bara, the sultry "Vampire" of the old silent picture days.

Have just learned that she is living
in seclusion, and at 60 shuns publicity
and is fearful of photographers who
might snap unflattering pictures of
her.

She and her husband, Charles Brabin,
who directed her in her last film,
"Kathleen Mavourneen" in 1921, live
in an unpretentious home in Beverly
Hills.

A CHATTY letter from a friend ad-
vises "Salome" as one of the
most interesting pictures she has seen
in a long time. Now I can't wait to
see it!

WILL Margaret Truman run for
congresswoman? There are rumors,
and it is said that Harry is urging it—
and that Harry's urging is urging at
its most forceful!

REMEMBER the days when you
rifled through Mother's and Grand-
mother's cast-off finery for equipment
for the fascinating pastime of "Playing
Ladies"? Many times we staggered in
four inch heels, and tripped over yards

of rags and tatters. The days when you
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Three young faculty wives of Santa
Barbara college apparently also re-
member "the Days." They have gone
into business designing and creating
children's play clothes (some made
exactly like mother's glad rags) and
packaging them for sale. The pack-
ages are called "Floella Finery."

Imagine the delight of a child upon
receiving a box of her very own play
finery—and that which fits!

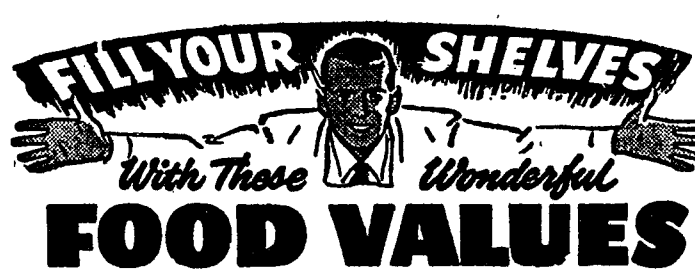
In the girls' packages can be found
occasionally an outfit for a princess,
a ballerina or a queen. There are
also boys' packages containing pirate
or knight costumes.

Each box contains costumes made
from seven yards of washable rayon in
high colors such as red, yellow, cerise
and aqua.

The young wives use their own child-
ren as models, paying them 15¢ a
fitting. Tiny colorfully striped boxes
keep the hats and head gear intact.

LIKE rhubarb? Then try this rhubarb custard pie. It is very good!

RHUBARB CUSTARD PIE
2 Tbs. flour
1 cup sugar
2½ Tbs. orange juice and the grated
rind of one orange
2 well beaten egg yolks
pinch of salt



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TUESDAY, MAY 1

KILN AREA
8:30-9:30 a.m. — Bayou La Boute
10-11 a.m. — Jordan River Bridge
12 noon-1:30 p.m. — Walchard Street
Kiln

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2

KILN & FENTON AREA
8:30-10:30 a.m. — Kiln School
11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. — Cuyler Store
Fenton
2-4 p.m. — Volk's Shipyards Home

THURSDAY, MAY 3

CATAHOULA AREA
8:30-9:30 a.m. — Rocky Hill Town
10:30-12 noon — J. H. Moler Store
1-2 p.m. — Catahoula School
3-4 p.m. — Dock Neckie

MONDAY, MAY 11

DEDEAUX AREA
8:30-11 a.m. — Roy Koennen's
12 noon-1 p.m. — Willard Favre's
2-3 p.m. — Robert Neckie Home
4-5 p.m. — Curve Ladner's Store

TUESDAY, MAY 12

10 a.m.-4 p.m. — Health Department,
Bay St. Louis

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13

9 a.m.-12 noon — City Hall, Waveland
1-4 p.m. — Ladner's Grocery,
Clermont Harbor

Fill a pie shell with finely cut and
peeled rhubarb and cover it with the
dry custard. The custard should be
mixed in a small bowl and poured over
the rhubarb.

Bake in a 350 F. oven until custard
is browned lightly and rhubarb is
tender.

Now make a meringue of two egg
whites beaten with two Tbs. sugar
and return to oven to brown meringue.

A suggestion which improves the
flavor is to pour a small amount of
boiling water over the rhubarb before
pouring the custard in.

TRY this new way of preparing po-
tatoes. It makes an awfully nice
dinner combined with a green salad and
pork chops which have been simmered
in a hot and spicy barbecue sauce.

Cook potatoes according to recipe on
Minute Potatoe box (why bother with
the other kind when the minute pota-
toes are so quick and so delicious?).

Grate into the potatoes a medium sized
slice about a fourth of a pound of
cheddar cheese, about four slices of
bacon which has been crisped and
broken into bits, a tablespoon of hot pre-
pared mustard.

Mix all together well and pile in a
dish. Sprinkle with paprika and serve
at once. If remainder of meal is not
ready then place in the oven at low
heat to keep warm.

THE pastry served at the Baltar-
Farrelly coffee party on Friday
morning was genuinely Danish, having
been baked by Dagmar Farrelly's sister
who is over from Denmark for several
months.

Another Danish guest was the at-
tractive and youthful-looking mother
(who, unfortunately, we did not meet)
of Inga Phillips.

Arrived late and missed a number of
familiar faces. Had a stimulating
conversation with Lucille Van Horn
concerning some childhood acquaintances.

Mabel Carter, looking like a very
berry short in pink linen and lace
and an attractive crown-like little hat.

Heard Ada Whitfield say as I was
alighting from the Ranch Wagon,
"What is she doing with a mattress in
her car?"

At the time I didn't know either,
since I had quickly borrowed Himself's
car to get to the party before it was
over. Just a favor he was doing for
a relative, Ada.

FROM an Eastern daily we learned
some interesting facts concerning
the Queen of the South Seas whose
name is "Salote."

She is an Amazon woman standing
six feet four inches and quite robust,
and boasts of coming from a long line
of rulers who have governed the 150
islands of Tonga for 900 years.

Queen Salote has been invited to at-
tend the coronation by Queen Eliza-
beth, expressing the friendly sentiments
shown by her father before his demise.

The lucky, cafe-au-lait ruler wears
native dress and generally goes barefoot-
ed. She recently made a trip to Aus-
tralia to shop for a wardrobe prior to
her trip to London.

One wonders if shoes will be included
in the purchase, and feels respectfully
sure that they will be, since the Queen
appears to be a woman of diplomacy
as well as intelligence.

Beloved by her subjects, she rules
the islands with a firm but fair hand.
When each boy reaches the age of 16
he is given 8¼ acres of land for
cultivation and a small plot on which to
build a house.

It is said that Queen Salote has
assisted Britain with the aid of money
as well as men during the trial of two
wars.

During World War II she presented
two Spitfires to the British Empire.
In the Solomon Islands her men ac-
quitted themselves with great bravery
and returned with honors and medals.
The Queen was presented with the
honorable insignia of Dame
Grand Cross of Order of the British
Empire.

Queen Salote will occupy a place
of honor in Westminster Abbey for
the coronation—and will, no doubt, be
an interesting and colorful figure!

A PERSON can be so busy doing
A nothing that in time even that be-
comes an effort. (It isn't likely to
happen in Bay St. Louis, though.)

UNLESS the "businesslike" candidates
for the Natural Gas Division are
about the same as the "businesslike" candidates
for the City of St. Louis, the City of St. Louis
are some of the "businesslike" candidates
for the City of St. Louis.

On August 1, 1952, the City of St. Louis
assumed complete control of the Natural Gas
Division. On the same day, the City of St. Louis
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Division.

Up to this writing, which is four years after Mr. Ladner and Mr. Glover
assumed complete control of the municipal gas divi-
sion, I have yet to be shown a list of uncollected accounts.

In early 1950, the Commissioners published an operating statement
of the Natural Gas Division as of November 30, 1949. The published
report shows the net operating gain, but it fails to show that the
Division suffered the loss of \$4,629.68 for uncollected for 1949. This was
not a good-looking figure to be placed before the general public. The
honest officials could very easily have presented the facts to the public.
Instead, they chose to present only the favorable part of the picture.

The Commissioners know that the leakage condition of the Gas Divi-
sion is something appalling. They have been advised of ways and
means to cut expenses and they have been extended various suggestions
that would tend to make the municipal gas division operate in a business-
like manner. But they stubbornly refuse to do anything about the mat-
ter.

In June, 1951, the representatives of the holders of the Natural
Gas Division bonds testified that the Commission Council employ a
engineer to make a survey and furnish a report on leakage conditions
in the gas distribution system, and to plan and supervise a repair program.

The engineer, a Mr. C. A. Proffit, was investigated as to his
reputation and accepted by the Commissioners. Incidentally, on March
6, 1952, Commissioners Glover and Ladner signed a letter of recom-
mendation for Mr. Proffit in which they state "his services have been
completely satisfactory. . . He has combined his engineering knowledge with
his experience in gas system operation to give us a common sense
program of work. . . We highly recommend him to any community in need
of his services."

So that precludes any discredit the Commissioners may feel inclined
to make concerning Mr. Proffit's reputation.

On March 3, 1952, Mr. Proffit submitted his final report to the
Council, with this statement: "This represents a final report on the
leakage and repair program which has been in progress since June (1951).
By mutual agreement, my supervision of the work terminated last week.
It is felt that all major problems have been corrected, for the time
being, and that the work can be continued by your regular crews. . ."

On November 22, 1952, after he had secured gas leakage figures from
the Gas Division, Mr. Proffit submitted this memorandum to Mr. Glover:

"Your leakage for September (1952) was 937,000 cubic feet; for
October (1952) it was 6,127,000 cubic feet—an increase of 554%."

After studying other leakage figures, Mr. Proffit submitted this
memorandum to Mr. Glover on February 21, 1953:

"The present deplorable condition of your operation can easily
be seen by a study of the following facts, all based on figures taken from
your records:

"Leakage for January through July (1952) showed a credit; whereas,
leakage for the last 5 months of the year (1952) totalled over 19,000,000
cubic feet, for an average of almost 4,000,000 cubic feet per month.

(The 19,000,000 cubic feet means \$4,400.00 for an average of
almost \$900 per month.)

"Leakage for the period August through December, 1952, was 50%
greater than for the same period last year. This indicates a drastic
increase in leaks. . ."

"It is sensible to assume that by the late summer or early fall
(1953) leakage will be costing you around \$8,000.00 to \$10,000.00 per
year."

The Commissioners have been advised to carry liability insurance
to protect the City against damages from explosions or other losses
resulting from the operation of the gas system. They have been warned
that a serious explosion could easily bankrupt the municipality, yet
these "businesslike" candidates have failed to do anything about it.

In discussing the gas department's operations with a very outstand-
ing gentleman from New Orleans some few months ago who is acquainted
with and has had a vast amount of experience in dealing with mu-
nicipal water and gas systems, the Mayor and Commissioners were told
that one of the great troubles with our gas system is the fact that we are
selling to some customers practically below cost while others are having
to bear the burden of the operating costs.

The Gas Division has almost continuously carried in its cash account
a balance in excess of \$30,000.00. Yet this Council, under the "business-
like" leadership of the two commissioners, has yet to retire one calla-
ble bond of the \$29,000.00 amount that could be retired at any time. They
have thus allowed the consumers to continue to pay the 4½% interest
rate.

Pass Christian, Gulfport and Biloxi gas systems are owned and op-
erated by the United Gas Corporation. In order to operate at a profit
they must include in their over-all charges Federal tax, State tax, County
and City taxes. In our own gas system operations we have absolutely
no tax to consider in setting our rates. Our gas rates should, therefore, be
lower than those of Biloxi, Gulfport, or Pass Christian. . . Yet did you
know that our gas rates are higher than those of the three towns men-
tioned above? Check your bill. Here are some comparisons:

A person in Biloxi, Gulfport or Pass Christian using 1,000 cubic feet of gas pays	\$1.39
A person in Bay St. Louis using the same amount of gas pays	\$1.81
A person in Biloxi, Gulfport or Pass Christian using 5,000 cubic feet of gas pays	\$4.37
A person in Bay St. Louis using the same amount pays	\$5.80
A person in Biloxi, Gulfport or Pass Christian using 9,000 cubic feet of gas pays	\$6.50
A person in Bay St. Louis using the same amount pays	\$8.50

After citing these facts to you, I close by asking: Are the Com-
missioners as efficient or as businesslike as they advertise themselves to
be?

(Signed) WARREN CARVER
Mayor.

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DALE EVANS

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Sun, Mon, May 3 - 4
ROBERT TAYLOR
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ELEANOR PARKER

—in—
ABOVE and BEYOND
NEWS AND CARTOON

Tues, Wed, May 5 - 6
ETHEL WATERS
and
JULIE HARRIS

—in—
MEMBER OF THE
WEDDING
COMEDY

Thurs, Fri, May 7 - 8
MONTGOMERY CLIFT
and
ANNE BAXTER

—in—
I CONFESS
NEWS & SHORT SUBJECT

Members of the Elks Club, Chapter 124, were business Tuesday afternoon in twenty-eight veterans from Bay St. Louis entertained at a luncheon at the Methodist Educational Building in Bay St. Louis from 1:30 to 4 p.m.

Mrs. Ruth McIlhenny was working Monday and Mrs. W. H. Rohr assisted. Mrs. W. H. Rohr assisted. Mrs. W. H. Rohr assisted.

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THE
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GEORGE MONTGOMERY

POPEYE CARTOON
"BIG BAD SINBAD"
LATEST WORLD NEWS

SAT. LATE SHOW 11 p.m.
MAY 2

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LATEST WORLD NEWS

Friday, May 1
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("Bitter Rice" Girl)
ANNA
With VITTORIO GASSMAN
Latest News - Color Cartoon

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THREE TEXAS STEERS
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Bugs Bunny Cartoon

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JOHN WAYNE
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News - Cartoon - Novelty

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King of the Congo - Novelty

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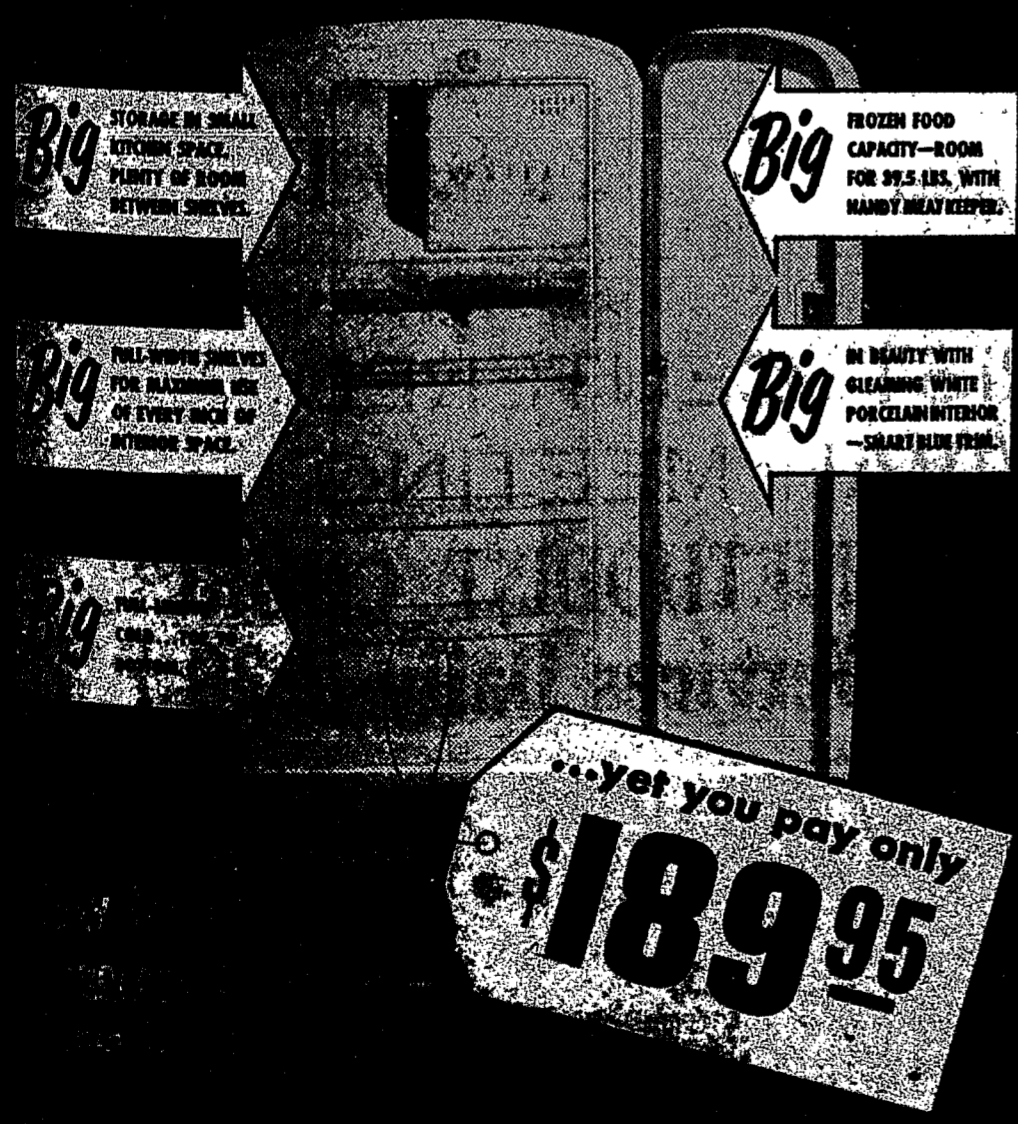
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